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Man Shot and Killed in Residence in Jessup

Howard County Police are investigating a shooting incident that killed a 17-year old male in Jessup last night.

Police responded to the 8100 block of Sheffield Court at approximately 9:20 p.m. after receiving a report of a gunshot fired in a single family residence. Upon arrival, police located a 17-old male deceased from a gunshot wound.

Detectives responded to the residence and determined that the male victim was at the residence visiting his 22-year old friend who lives at the home. The two subjects were alone in the basement when a shot was fired from a gun that was in the room. The victim sustained a single fatal wound and was pronounced dead on the scene.

Police are working to determine the circumstances surrounding the shooting.

Police are withholding the identity of the 22-year old until the investigation is complete.

Police are still in the process of making notifications to the family of the deceased, and will release the identity of the victim once notifications have been made.

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